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\* Daily. \* Daily except Sunday & Sunday only.  
MAIN LINE, EASTBOUND.  
Cumberland, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, Depart \*3.52 a.m., \*5.31 p.m., \*9.35 p.m.  
Arrive \*12.53 a.m., \*9.58 a.m., \*7.28 p.m.  
Grafton Accom. Depart \*10.22 a.m., \*3.40 p.m., \*6.02 p.m.  
MAIN LINE, WESTBOUND.  
Parkersburg, Cincinnati, Louisville & St. Louis, Depart \*12.53 a.m., \*9.58 a.m., \*7.28 p.m.  
Arrive \*3.52 a.m., \*5.35 p.m., \*9.35 p.m.  
Parkersburg Accom. Depart \*7.06 a.m., \*3.40 p.m., \*6.02 p.m.  
Arrive \*12.53 a.m., \*9.58 a.m., \*7.28 p.m.  
W. VA. & PITTS., NORTHBOUND.  
Connellsville and Pittsburgh, Depart \*6.15 a.m., \*10.25 a.m., \*10.30 a.m., \*11.05 p.m., \*11.05 p.m.  
Fairmont and Morgantown, Depart \*6.15 a.m., \*10.25 a.m., \*10.30 a.m., \*11.05 p.m., \*11.05 p.m.  
Arrive \*3.52 a.m., \*5.35 p.m., \*9.35 p.m.  
W. VA. & PITTS., SOUTHBOUND.  
Weston, Depart \*6.00 a.m., \*10.30 a.m., \*11.25 a.m., \*4.00 p.m., \*4.15 p.m., \*8.55 a.m., \*9.40 a.m., \*12.00 p.m., \*7.05 p.m., \*7.05 p.m.  
Pickens, Depart \*6.00 a.m., \*7.55 p.m., \*11.25 a.m., \*4.00 p.m., \*4.15 p.m., \*8.55 a.m., \*9.40 a.m., \*12.00 p.m., \*7.05 p.m., \*7.05 p.m.  
Richwood and intermediate points, Depart \*6.00 a.m., \*11.25 a.m., \*4.00 p.m., \*4.15 p.m., \*8.55 a.m., \*9.40 a.m., \*12.00 p.m., \*7.05 p.m., \*7.05 p.m.  
Webster Springs, Depart \*11.21 a.m., \*12.00 p.m.  
W. VA. & SHORT LINK.  
New Martinsville & Wheeling Accom., Depart \*5.40 a.m., \*2.30 p.m., \*11.18 a.m., \*8.40 p.m.

#### HOW THEY GOT AHEAD OF THE OLD FOLKS

(Original.)  
Miss Julia Wardwell had breakfasted and was attending to her canary when the postman arrived and left a letter for her.  
"Good gracious!" she exclaimed. "Mamma to be married! Sorry she can't come home quite as early as expected." Mr. Arbuckle. "Hopes I'll not be naughty about it! What in the world am I to do? I can't get used to a strange man in the house. I'll!"  
A maid entered and handed her a card on which was written, "Henry Durand Arbuckle."  
"Well, I declare," the girl went on with her soliloquy, after telling the maid to say that she would be down soon, "this is disaster following fast and following faster! I hardly learn that I am to have a stepfather when I am called to face him. I wonder if mamma has gone and made a silly of herself by taking a young man. She always disliked old ones. So I suppose she's got a boy. Helgho! I wish I had some one to marry myself!"  
She prinked a little before the glass and then went down into the drawing room. A handsome young man of twenty-five arose as she entered. He looked rather embarrassed and stammered a few incoherent sentences.  
"Beg pardon, Mrs. Arbuckle--I mean Miss--no, Mrs. Wardwell, for calling so early. I have but a few hours in the city, and--"  
"You're quite excusable, Mr. Arbuckle. I received a letter this morning--"  
"So did I. Quite charged, I assure you. I did so young a person. I feared--"  
"And I am quite surprised in you." "I think I shall love you very much. My mother died when I was but four years old, and I had no remembrance of her."  
Miss Wardwell looked surprised.  
"Remember my father," she replied, "and I'm quite sure no other man can take his place, but--"  
"You will not object to the love of a son?"  
Miss Wardwell paused again. "The love of a son? Is mamma to marry a 'butcher'?"  
Meanwhile Miss Wardwell had taken a seat on a sofa, and Mr. Arbuckle, who had taken a chair, got up and sat down beside her.  
"You have no idea," he said, "how charmed I am in finding so agreeable a young person. I'm sure we shall get on famously. You will find me dutiful, obedient, loving."  
"And I," she replied, "am equally pleased. Just before you called I made up my mind that I couldn't endure--"  
"Same here. We have both felt alike. How delightful to have dissatisfaction turned to pleasure! Oh, mother, let us--"  
"Mother!" she exclaimed, drawing back. "What do you mean?"  
"I mean that father couldn't have

chosen a more satisfactory stepmother for me."  
"Stepmother! Why, I'm to be your stepdaughter."  
"What do you take me for?"  
"Mamma's new husband that is to be."  
"Are you not Mrs. Wardwell?"  
"I am Miss Julia Wardwell. Do I look old enough to be your stepmother?"  
"This is very astonishing. I supposed I was calling on father's fiancée."  
"And I supposed you were my mother's fiancée."  
"Father wrote me that Mrs. Wardwell would arrive in the city yesterday and, as I was passing through, asked me to call on her."  
"I have just received a letter from mamma saying that she has been delayed. I supposed she had chosen a young man. She has never liked old ones."  
"Well, well! Upon my word! And you're not to be my stepmother after all!"  
"I should say not! And you're not to be my stepfather, and I'm to have an old man in the house! I'm disappointed."  
"And I'm to have an old woman for a stepmother?"  
"I shall not live with them."  
"Nor I!"  
"I shall take apartments and live alone, with a maid and other servants."  
"You can't do that."  
"Why not?"  
"You're too young and pretty."  
"Oh, dear! I'm disgusted."  
"So am I. I shall go into bachelor quarters."  
"Why will parents make themselves happy by making their children miserable?"  
"It's very selfish of them."  
"They've had their fling and should defer to their offspring."  
"I'd like to get ahead of the governor. It would serve him right."  
"I'd marry a clown to get even with mamma."  
"I wouldn't mind helping you out."  
Miss Wardwell turned away her head. Her stepfather that was to have been moved closer.  
"Do you know when our parents are to be married?" he asked.  
"On the 1st of July, mother says. Your father has business in England in that month, and they are to sail as soon as married."  
"Very well. We'll beat them by two weeks."  
"Father's a fool."  
"So is mother."  
"They'll quarrel."  
Kisses here interferred, and the dialogue became unintelligible.  
HARRIET B. LEE.  
His Contribution.  
"What did that old miser put down when you asked him to contribute to the charitable fund?"  
"His foot."--Baltimore American.  
To wait and be patient soothes many a pang.--Dutch Proverb.

Anatomy of an Oyster.  
To discover the heart of an oyster the fold of flesh which oystermen call the "mantle" must be removed. This is fatal to the oyster, of course, but in the interest of science and for the benefit of the "curious" it is occasionally done. When the mantle has been removed the heart, shaped like a crescent or horned moon, is laid to the view. The oyster's heart is made up of two parts, just like that of a human being, one of which receives the blood from the gills, and the other drives it out through the arteries. The liver is found in the immediate vicinity of the heart and stomach, and is a queer shaped little organ, which is supposed to perform all the functions of a blood filter. Every oyster has a mouth, a heart, a liver, a stomach and other necessary internal organs, including a set of cunningly devised intestines. The mouth is at the small end of the oyster's body, near the hinge of the shell. It is oval in shape, and, though not readily discovered by an unpracticed eye, it may be easily located by gently pushing a blunt bodkin or similar instrument along the folds of the surface of the body at the place mentioned. Connected with the mouth is the canal which the oyster uses in conveying food to the stomach, from whence it passes into the curious little set of netted and twisted intestines referred to.--Santa Fe New Mexican.  
Has the Wasp Affected?  
A colony of wasps made a nest in the dark room of a studio last summer. At first the party who used the room did not notice their company, but for several reasons he did not molest them. He paid no attention to the little buzzers, and they came and went at their own sweet will. After a time he began to study them and soon came to the conclusion that they were gradually becoming acquainted with him, his ways and his dark room. One day a stranger was seated on the window sill. The first wasp entering the room paid no attention to him, but made for the old crack in the wall. Then out came a big fat fellow who darted through the open window like a bullet. Within five minutes half a dozen wasps came with a rush at the stranger and two of them located him. But the writer has never been touched by his wasp colony.--Outing Magazine.  
Raters, Sailabouls and Larks.  
What is a rater, a sailaboul, a lark? Is a question commonly heard among those not familiar with yachts and technical racing terms. A rater is thirty-eight feet long and carries the double sails--sloop rig and jib. The half rater is thirty-two feet long, carries the same style sails as the rater and usually gets a five minute handicap in rater races. The sailaboul carries a single large sail and is built on graceful lines, with rounded sides and ends, while the lark has square sides and ends and carries the single sail. Few larks are built now. Most of the yachts recently built have the double centerboard. The centerboard prevents drifting sideways, and the single

board is often entirely out of water during heavy winds; hence the use of the double board.  
Ceylon Sharks.  
Sharks infest the waters of Ceylon, and the pearl divers of that region are in deadly fear of these wolves of the deep. The divers are mostly Tamils and Moormen and display marvelous endurance and pluck. To protect themselves against the ever present danger to which the presence of the sharks exposes them the divers carry charms given them by recognized "shark bladders" who receive a small government fee and a dozen oysters a day from each boat. Owing to the constant noise and splashing, the sharks are generally kept at a distance, and accidents are rare.  
Famous King Of.  
Of the famous king of Bashan, mentioned in Deuteronomy, had a bedstead nine cubits long, or about sixteen and a half feet. It is a curious thing to know that the full length of his bedstead. Many bones of reputed giants have been found in different countries of the world, and uninformed people have concluded that the men to whom these bones were supposed to have belonged must have been from fifteen to thirty feet in height. All such remains have been proved to be those of the gigantic animals existing in a former era of the world's history.  
The Struggle of Poetry.  
Never before was there so much study of poetry and the drama. This is due to the modern extension of education and to the spread of reading matter among the masses. Poetry is not the fashion of an hour; it is an eternal need of the soul--a need that increases with the increase of intellectual light.--Bohemian Magazine.  
The Hesitant Swain.  
He--What would your father do if I told him I wanted to marry you? She--He'd refer the matter to me. He--(Hopecfully)--And what would you do? She--I'd refer the matter to the young man who proposed to me and was accepted while you were trying to make up your mind!--Bohemian Magazine.  
A Little Short of Funds.  
Mr. Tyte--Phist--More money? What have you done with that dollar I gave you last week? Mrs. Tyte--Phist--That's in the savings bank, but I can't draw the interest on it till next January. I want another dollar to run the house on in the meantime.--Chicago Tribune.

An Extraordinary Forest.  
The most extraordinary forest in the world was discovered by Dr. Wettsch and occupies a tableland some six miles in width near the west coast of Africa. The peculiarity of the trees is that, though their trunks are as much as four feet in diameter, they attain the height of only a foot. No tree bears more than two leaves, and these attain a length of six and a breadth of two feet.  
Not What He Seemed.  
Romance has sung a deceptive halo over the old yeoman farmer. He was certainly not a good tiller of the soil, but lazy, old fashioned and unenterprising. No houses were so much in need of repair, no gardens so ill kept, no fields so overgrown with weeds, as those of the small proprietor of the eighteenth century.--London Country Life.  
Neighbors.  
She--I have not seen you for in ages. Herr Doctor, notwithstanding that we live only a few streets apart here in Berlin, I learned with much regret that you've been ill. Herr Doctor--Who told you that? She--My brother wrote me from India.--Ellegande Blatter.  
Speaking of the irony of fate, why is it that a man's friends sometimes forget him, but his enemies never? Terrell, (Tex.) Transcript.

Bartenders to Meet  
The bartenders' union will hold a meeting in the Traders annex at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. It is urged that the attendance be complete.  
SWEET MELODY FLOUR.  
When the tip of a dog's nose is cold and moist, that dog is not sick. A feverish dry nose means sickness with a dog. And so with the human lips. Dry, cracked and colorless lips mean feverishness, and are as well ill appearing. To have beautiful pink, velvet-like lips, apply at bedtime a coating of Dr. Shoop's Green Salve. It will soften and heal any skin ailment. Get a free trial box, at our store, and be convinced. Large nickel capped glass jars, 25 cents. Sold in all dealers.  
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